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PANTS MADE TO ORDER FOR \$5.00.
Get a ticket to draw the \$50 Government Bond
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April 7, 1880-d&wtf

FREEMAN BROS.
Boots and Shoes!
NO. 8 MERCHANT STREET,
Two Doors North Linn & Scruggs.

Decatur, Ill., May 15, 1879-d&wtf

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Martin P. Murphy and against Samuel M. Brewer, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The west half (1/2) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of the northeast quarter (1/4) of section twenty-nine (29), town 16 north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M. The south half (1/2) of the northeast quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section twenty-nine (29), town 16 north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M. Taken as property of the said Samuel M. Brewer, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

The 14th day of April A. D. 1880
M. FOSTMYER,
April 15-d&w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.**NOTICE.**

To all whom it may concern
You will take notice that the undersigned is making application to the regular meeting of the city council in May, A. D. 1880, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house situated on Lot No. 18, in the city of Decatur, said house owned by Jacob Staussman.

Filed at Decatur, Ill., this 14th day of April, 1880.
A week in your own town. Terms and 100 cents free. Address H. HALLER & Co., Portland, Maine.

Mrs. Grindol, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish board and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders, fare good, and price very reasonable.
March 5-dtf

Just Received.
Great bargains in Kid Gloves—perfect in all respects, and only 35c a pair, at Linn & Scruggs.
\$34 will buy a D. B. breech loading shotgun, Lefanbeaux action, the strongest action made, warranted for one year, at H. MUELLER & Co's
Aug 27-dtf
Remnants, all sorts and prices, at Ashby & Andrews
March 6-dtf

IRISH DISTRESS.

Scenes of Penury which Move Men to Tears.

James Belditch in the New York Tribune.
Leaving Ardara, we rode over a rough mountain road and crossed two streams for about a mile, and then we reached the hamlet of Shaheen. This is the property of Colonel Logan. He owns the whole townland. There are thirty-nine houses on it, scattered on either side of the bhorheen. Sure, you know what bhorheen means? It is a wretched mountain pass—not made by surveyors, but by constant travel. It is filled with cobbles and full of gullies. The villagers were anxious that we should visit every cabin. I entered one, and wanted to stop. But I was induced to visit six of them, and then I refused to see any more. The appalling wretchedness, the filthy cabins, the haggard mothers, the blue-legged and ragged children, the gaunt and care-worn men, the gray-headed, wrinkled women, who look more like the witches of "Macbeth" on a stage than the grandmothers of comely girls in Mayo—I grew sick and faint at these sad sights everywhere, and I mounted my horse and left them behind me as fast as I could gallop.

Outside the cabins showed how desperate was the poverty of these people. The thatch was old and mouldy heather—not straw—and overgrown with grass. The walls were striped with a greenish ooze. Some of the cabins had no chimneys and no windows. Light entered only by the open door, and the smoke went out of a hole in the roof. The rental of this village in 1845 was £45, now it is £179 17s 5d. The Government valuation is £77.

Colonel Logan never saw in India or Africa—where British armies have fought so gallantly to "extend civilization"—hovels more wretched, people more destitute than he can find in his own village of Shaheen. It is said that he has never seen it. I invite him, in the presence of two nations, to enter with me one of these cabins on his estate. It is the cabin of the Widow Kane. It was the last hotel we entered. The cabin was small, and cold and low. The walls oozed a foul dampness; the floor was wet and slippery, the cattle-pen in the kitchen was empty, the children, ten in number, were pinched and ragged and half naked. There was not a mouthful in the wretched cabin to eat save what the hand of foreign charity has sent there. Where would this family have been if they had depended on their natural protectors—the landlord and the government? Dead from hunger, or begging on the streets! No government officer has visited them—no agent of the landlord has called on them. The eldest girl and eldest boy of this poor woman are at service, and they give every penny that they can earn to their mother.

We enter the inner room. It was dark and wet and chilly. Here I saw steeped oatmeal, I tried it, it was absolutely rotten. I turned sick when I tasted it. It had been made of the worst material. And yet the children drank it to make the Indian meal porridge more palatable. I am not more easily moved, I hope, than most Americans in the presence of human misery, but I could not choke back my tears at the sight of this distress. I gave the poor mother what I could spare, and rode off with tears running down my cheeks.

THOMAS STATION, MINN., Aug. 9, '79.
Messrs MORGAN & ALLEN, 59 John St., New York City.
Dear Sirs—Last Sabbath I was at Pond du Lac and called on Mr. W. M. OARLTON. I was surprised to find him so much improved; he told me that your medicine "Constitution Water" had been the means of doing it. It has been the belief of every physician knowing of his case that there was no help for him.
Yours respectfully,
S. A. SHAW, Jr.,
Agent St. Paul & Duluth R. R.
Sold by W. C. Armstrong, druggist.
April 3-d&wtf

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA BALM.
The best balm in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tortor, Chapped hands, Chubins, Corns, and all kinds of skin eruptions. This Balm is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box.

Cash Does the Business.
We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade. Come and see us; we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones.
BARBER & BAKER
d&wtf

CHILDREN'S games and blocks, in all most endless variety, at J. M. Stookley & Co's
17-d&wtf

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker
d&wtf

D. B. Shotgun, genuine twist barrel! walnut stock, B. A. Swivel Locks, at \$18, also common double guns for \$7.50, at Aug 27 dtf H. MUELLER & Co's.

Crank.
Pure linen, three yards for a quarter, good width, and No. 1 goods.
19-d&wtf CHEAP STORE.

IF YOU WISH TO SEE THE

**PRETTIEST,
CLEANEST,
LARGEST,
BEST ASSORTED STOCK
OF
NEW SPRING CLOTHING**
—CALL AT—
**B. STINE'S,
The "BOSS CLOTHIER."**



Elegant Designs in
MEN'S SUITS!
Latest Patterns in
BOYS' SUITS!
Novelties in
Children's Suits!

We wish to impress it upon the minds of everybody in want of CLOTHING, that we give you **BETTER FITTING GARMENTS, TRIMMED IN BETTER AND MORE SUBSTANTIAL STYLE, and sell them for LESS MONEY THAN ANY HOUSE IN DECATUR.** In short, we

Defy Competition

YOURS TRULY,

B. STINE,
"The BOSS CLOTHIER."

March 12, 1880 d&wtf

WE WANT your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

LADIES' night dresses, chemises, drawers and skirts, at very low prices.
June 27-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, the corn to be delivered at D. S. Shellabarger & Co's mill.
[Nov 18-d&wtf]

Mme. Demore's Reliable Patterns; the instructive "What to Wear," 15 cts, and Portfolios, 15 cts, just received by Linn & Scruggs.
[Jan 17-d&wtf]

Steel Engravings
A large assortment on sale for a few days only, at J. M. Stookley & Co's
April 22-d&wtf

For plumbing on sanitary principles, sewerage, drainage and ventilation, call at
Aug 27-dtf H. MUELLER & Co's

If you want the best and cheapest hosiery and gloves, go to
may 10 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

Our 35c kid glove, we will sell them now at 30 cents a pair. We have probably fifteen or twenty dozens of these goods in all colors, and nearly all sizes, and desire to close out the whole of them. 30 cents a pair is exceedingly low for them.
21-d&wtf CHEAP STORE

WANTED—

500 Old Stoves,
For which full value will be given in cash or trade at
**LITTLE'S,
Court House Block.**
April 5-d&wtf

WANTED—
All kinds of Old Furniture and Housekeeping Goods in any quantity. Full value given by Tom Hughes and John Jackson, at
**LITTLE'S,
Court House Block.**
April 5-d&wtf

CLOKEY & MILLS,
Joseph M. Clokey, Isaac R. Mills,
Attorneys & Counselors-at-Law.
Office over the Decatur National Bank. Special attention to matters in Probate and Chancery.
Decatur, Ill., Sept. 24, 1878-d&wtf

E. W. WREMS, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Surgery performed.
Office over Armstrong's Drug Store. Residence, southwest corner West 11th and North Monroe streets.
June 25-d&wtf

**OFFICE OF
WARREN & DUFFEE**

**REAL ESTATE,
INSURANCE,
Abstracts of Title**
**Building Association
Gas Company
REMOVED**

Into the offices of the County Clerk, County Judge, and the Circuit Clerk and Recorder, where they will be found until their office is rebuilt.
Feb 21, 1880-d&wtf

SHIRTS.

Unscrupulous parties are falsely representing to consumers that they are selling shirts of our manufacture.
Shirts Made to Order by our bear stamp with Indelible Ink on Yoke, thus:

**WILSON BROS.
CHICAGO,
CINCINNATI,
ST. LOUIS.**
Our Ready-Made Shirts bear stamp with Indelible Ink on Yoke, thus:

Wilson Bros. No.
All Others are Falsely Represented.
WILSON BROS.
Importing and Jobbing Men's Furnishers.
March 18-dim

DRESSMAKING!

MRS. MASTERSON
Has opened dressmaking rooms over BLIZZ MEAT MARKET, south of the Tubercule, and will be glad to receive the patronage of her old friends. Prices reasonable, and satisfaction guaranteed.
Decatur, March 30, 1880-dim

Grain Speculation
In large or small amounts. 25c or 30c. With W. T. BOYLE & CO., Commission Merchants, 180 La Salle St., CHICAGO, ILL., for Decatur.
March 15-dim

"Cheap Charley's" Corner.

**NOW WE ARE READY!
TO RECEIVE OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS
IN OUR REMODELED STORE.**

You know we have enlarged our quarters, and with the enlargement of the Store, we have also **GREATLY ENLARGED OUR STOCK.**

WE CLAIM—and everybody knows that everything we claim is true, as we are not given to boasting—that we have now on our counters

**THE LARGEST, THE NEATEST,
THE BEST-SELECTED STOCK OF
CLOTHING,**

FOR MEN, YOUTHS AND BOYS IN TOWN.

WE CLAIM FURTHER—that the goods made in our own Factory, 78 and 80 Madison St., Chicago, are of BETTER QUALITY, NICER PATTERNS and BETTER FIT, than can be shown in Central Illinois.

AND WE CLAIM MORE—that THE PRICES ARE LOWER THAN ANY MAN WILL OFFER, simply because we made the goods ourselves out of material which was purchased before the rise in goods took place.

WE CONTINUE TO SELL IN RETAIL AT WHOLESALE PRICE AND SAVE TO OUR PATRONS THE TRICK OF OTHER RETAILERS HAVE TO PAY THE JOKER.

—OUR ASSORTMENT OF—
HATS, CAPS AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!
IS IMMENSE.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH
Manufacturers of
MEN'S AND BOYS' Clothing!
Dealers in
Goods for Men's Wear.
Cor. East Main & Water Sts.,
DECATUR.
Factory—Chicago, Illinois.
March 29-d&wtf

PLUMBING!
Gas and Steam Fitting,
And Repairing of
Engines & Machinery
OF ALL KINDS

Having recently added some of the best and most improved machinery to our stock, we are enabled to give the best facilities for doing work in our line in Central Illinois. Call and get estimates before going elsewhere.

ALL WORK WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

H. MUELLER & CO.,
Cor. E. Main and State Sts.,
Decatur, Illinois
July 3, 1879-dly

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS: ss
County of Macon: ss
In the Macon County Circuit Court at the City of Decatur, A. D. 1880
Albert G. Williams vs. Amanda C. Roberts, et al.
Elizabeth Williams vs. Robert T. Williams, et al.
Garret D. Williams, et al. vs. William Williams, et al.
Line Wilson, Frank Wilson and Mary Everett vs. Chancery—Petition for Partition

A FEEDAVIT of the non residence of Little A. Williams and Mary Everett, two of the above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to said Little Williams and Mary Everett, that the complainants have before filed their bill of complaint in said court and undetermined.

Noted therefore, you, the said Little Williams and Mary Everett, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1880, and plead answer or demurrer to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McLELLAN, Clerk
Decatur, March 2, 1880
ROBINSON, KRAFT & SHUTT for complainants.
March 27-dly

TO THE PUBLIC.
I AM PREPARED TO PURCHASE, FOR citizens of Decatur,
Oats, Corn, Hay, Wood
ETC., BY THE LOAD
Orders left at my store will be filled as promptly as possible. Charges reasonable.
No. 24-dtf V. H. PARKER.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,
South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois.
Jan. 1, 1880-d&wtf

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of the several townships and election districts of Macon county are requested to send delegates to a county convention to be held at the court house in Decatur, on

THURSDAY, MAY 6th, AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.

for the following purpose: The selection of delegates to represent the county in the state convention to be held at Springfield on the 15th of May. The selection of delegates to represent the county in the state convention to be held at Springfield on the 15th of May. The selection of delegates to represent the county in the state convention to be held at Springfield on the 15th of May.

By order of the convention,
JAMES C. LAKE, Chairman.

LAWSON county instructs its delegates for Grant.

White county on Saturday elected Grant delegates to the state convention.

In Cape county Republicans held their primaries on Saturday. So far as heard from Grant was in the lead, with Blaine following closely.

The Morgan county Republicans met in convention on Saturday, and instructed their delegates for Grant for president and Morrison for governor.

At the Tuscola township Republican convention on Saturday a vote was taken on president, resulting in giving Grant 66 and Blaine 23 votes.

A REPUBLICAN township convention was held at Clinton on Saturday, which instructed in favor of Grant and Cul-lum, and for Mike Donahue for Congress.

At Mt. Vernon on Saturday a Republican township convention was held, which endorsed Grant by a rising vote, and pledged support to the Chicago platform.

In Vermillion county the Republican primaries were held on Saturday. We have no report except from Hoopes-ton, which chose a solid Grant delegation.

SEVERAL annoying typographical errors occurred in our issue of Saturday, which escaped the eye of the proof reader, but which were of such a character as to suggest to the reader their own correction.

"They who take the sword shall perish by the sword" was the language of our Savior, and it is no less true now than it was then, as the latest San Francisco tragedy shows. DeYoung, when he shot the older Kallach last August, placed himself outside the pale of the law's protection, and gave notice that he was prepared to personally avenge his own wrongs. What wonder, then, that he should finally meet his fate in the same way in which he engaged to rid himself of his enemy? However the public may look upon the act of young Kallach, there is no good excuse for wasting any sympathy upon DeYoung, who by his own act courted the result which finally came to him. Both parties to this shameful tragedy have contributed everything in their power to the social and political disturbances which have cursed California and the whole Pacific coast for some years. They have been enemies to the public peace; they are "bad lot," and good people everywhere will find no occasion to mourn much over the violent death of one—no matter how able and brilliant he may have been. If the suffering people of California could be rid of the other party to the tragedy they would be better off.

Gold and Silver Produced Annually.

The quantity of silver produced annually amounts to not less than 6,000,000 pounds troy, and that of gold may be estimated at more than 600,000 pounds troy; the value of the silver being \$16,000,000, and that of gold not less than \$28,000,000. The labor expended in mining for silver over the deep recesses of the mountains and that which is devoted to the washing of alluvial deposits—the relics of the catclays of former ages—and to the tedious explorations of quartz reefs, represents a vast expenditure of vital effort. Even then we have still to draw upon the untold skill of the metallurgist before either gold or silver is fitted for use or ornament.

A new discovered remedy for worms, diffusing from all others; it removes the worm nest. Rishart's Worm Lozenges. Warranted. Sold by A. J. Storer and J. T. Hubbard.

Remove your shoe bills by buying of Baker & Baker.

The Annual Bible Meeting.

Stapp's Chapel, Sunday evening, on the occasion of the annual meeting of the Macon County Bible Society, was thronged by a vast multitude of Christians, there being representatives present from nearly every church in the city. So large was the attendance that it became necessary to bring in chairs which were placed in the aisles and soon filled. The exercises opened with a beautiful voluntary—"Holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts"—by the choir of ten voices led by Prof. Laiz. This was followed by the hymn, "Jesus the word bestow," which was read by Rev. W. H. Bateson. An impressive prayer was offered by Rev. W. H. Bateson, which was followed by a scriptural reading from the book of Isaiah by Rev. N. S. Haynes. Then came the singing of the hymn commencing "Lord, I have made Thy word my choice," which was announced by Rev. J. R. Locke. The president of the society, J. R. Gorin, introduced Rev. Dr. Goodwin, who delivered a soliciting address of ten minutes duration. It abounded in numberless truths with reference to the bible and its great influence for good throughout Christendom. The address was followed by the annual collection, Messrs. D. S. Shellbarger, R. Liddle, W. T. Wells, J. H. Brayton, Wm Powers and S. S. Ewing, receiving the voluntary subscriptions. Voluntary—"Sing unto the Lord." Then followed the annual bible address by Rev. W. H. Bateson, who gave an interesting history of the book of books, and interspersed with many apt remarks and illustrations, forcibly impressing the listeners of the authenticity of the book, and its wonderful collection of living, saving and immortal truths. Treasurer Liddle read the annual report of the society which showed that the amount of cash on hand at the last meeting of the society and received during the year was \$288.16; amount disbursed during the year, \$317.80; balance on hand to date \$40.30. Value of books in stock last year and since purchased, \$447.71. Value of books sold and given away during the year, \$152.61, value of books on hand to date, \$295.10. The services concluded by singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," and the benediction by Rev. A. H. Chittenden. Following are the names of the officers of the society for the ensuing year:

President, J. R. Gorin; vice presidents, the pastors of the various churches; treasurer, R. Liddle; secretary, W. T. Wells; executive committee, one from each church, Presbyterian, R. McClelland; First Methodist, S. S. Ewing; Lutheran, F. Batzen; German Methodist, Wm. Neidermyer; Episcopal, L. Burrows; Baptist, E. A. Gastman; United Brethren, A. Kramer; Christian, R. L. Evans; Bethel, E. Bear; Universalist, D. L. Bunn; James Chapel, J. M. Stookey; Stapp's Chapel, J. H. Brayton. The collection amounted to about \$40.

A CONTRAST to the Oberammergau Passion play, which is to be performed again this season, is thus described by a well known Shakespearean authority in a letter to a friend: "Years ago I saw a passion play in Spain which was sublimely national. After the Magi had presented their gift to Mary, who was seated beside a pasteboard manger surrounded by pasteboard oxen with a good deal of genuine straw about, at the tinkle of a little bell ballet girls in short skirts and pink tights darted from the side scenes, and pirouetting around the group, finally struck an attitude with their hands over the cradle, and their elevated toes pointed to the audience. When the curtain went down, there were vociferous calls for the actors, and Christ appeared, leading Joseph and Mary, and bowed his thanks. It was deeply religious to the people, and many women wept."

AS AN orator, Mr. Gladstone is almost unapproachable. As a writer he would be, save for his name and reputation, unreadable. Some one asked Lord Beaconsfield eighteen months ago whether he had read a certain article written by Mr. Gladstone and at the time engaging particular attention. "I looked through it, of course," the premier said, "but I cannot say I read it. I can listen with gratification to Mr. Gladstone's longest speeches but I cannot for the life of me read what he writes." This was a criticism given under circumstances which precluded suspicion of personal political animus. It was the verdict of a man of letters on the essay of an orator, and it would be difficult to question its justice. Mr. Gladstone's literary style is as bad as it can be. His sentences are long, involved, and wily, and he is as difficult to read as he is agreeable to listen to.

THE Massachusetts republicans of the several congressional districts of that state are now appointing their delegates to the Chicago convention, the delegates appointed by the recent state convention being only for the state at large. From the first district, Charles W. Clifford, of New Bedford, and Zachariah Eldridge, of Yarmouth, were appointed on Tuesday; they are unopposed as regards the presidency. Yesterday the second district appointed William E. Lovering, of Taunton, who is for Edmunds, and F. A. Hobart, of Braintree, who is for Grant. The fourth district appointed Estace C. Fitz, of Chelsea, and J. O. Wetherbee, of Boston, both for Edmunds. The fifth district appointed Henry Cabot Lodge, of Nahant, and David Russell, of Delaware, both for Edmunds.

From the "Old Salamander" Drug House, CHICAGO, ILL., Jan. 12, 1880.

Messrs. H. H. Warner & Co., Rochester, N. Y.: Gentlemen: We trust our order will reach you in season to be promptly filled. The demand for your Safe Kidney Pills, especially the Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, is continuous and increasing, and our customers speak in the highest terms of their value. Several cases of cure which have come under our observation are complete and most remarkable.

Very truly yours,
J. M. STOOKEY, STEVENSON & Co.

April 18—d&w

TELEGRAPHIC

DE YOUNG.

Particulars of his Murder.

THE GREAT STORM.

Political and Other News.

TOLEDO, O., April 26.—Corn 39½ cents; wheat \$1.18 cash, \$1.16½ May.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Just before eight o'clock this evening, Chas. DeYoung entered the business office of the Chronicle on the ground floor, corner of Kearney and Bush streets, and stood talking with some gentlemen leaning against the counter. Directly the door opened and I. M. Kallach entered, and drawing a pistol without, as far as can be learned, speaking a word, began firing at DeYoung. The latter ran through the gate of the counter to the desk on the side, Kallach firing at him as he ran. On reaching the desk, DeYoung turned to face his opponent with a pistol in his hand, when Kallach, leaning over the counter, fired again, the ball striking DeYoung in the mouth. Kallach then started for the door, and DeYoung raised his pistol as if to fire, but apparently his strength failed him, for the pistol was not discharged, and sinking backward he fell on the floor. Bystanders ran to his assistance, but the ball had evidently pierced the base of the brain, and in a few moments he expired. As Kallach ran out of the door he was seized by citizens, and at the same moment officers came up and took him into custody and conducted him to the city prison, where he was locked up. The news flew through the city like the wind, and in a few moments the street in the vicinity of the Chronicle office was crowded with people, eager to learn the particulars. Police men were at once stationed at the door to keep out the inquisitive crowd, and only a few personal friends and reporters admitted. In the rear office, M. H. DeYoung, a brother of the deceased, reclined on a lounge, surrounded by friends, evidently overcome by the tragedy, but with dry eyes and calm. He was not present at the time of the shooting, having left home after dinner, a few moments after Charles. The deceased lay on his back on the floor, his face and breast dabbled in blood, his eyes closed and his face bearing that calm expression noticeable in the case of those dying from gun shot wounds.

Only one wound was found on the person, although at least four shots were fired by Kallach, two having pierced the glass door and partition of the office, and the third lodged in the window casing. Young Kallach, on being arrested, was, as the arresting officer remarked, the coolest man he ever saw. He still carried the smoking pistol in his hand, which he surrendered to that officer. On his way to the station house he observed a strict reticence, and on being shown to his cell positively refused to have any intercourse whatever with the representatives of the press.

In the absence of any explanation from the assassin the cause is generally understood to be attributable to the pamphlet which has recently been circulated about the city, attacking Mayor Kallach, father of DeYoung's slayer. During his recent visit east it is believed the deceased devoted a great deal of attention to the gathering up of matters regarding the past life of Mayor Kallach, for the presumed purpose of either using it at the expected trial of the deceased on the charge of shooting Kallach last August, or making it subservient journalistic purposes. The pamphlet referred to was a document of some sixty pages, and recounted the details of the Kallach scandal in Boston and other matter of a scandalous nature. The pamphlet was anonymous, but young Kallach evidently considered that the deceased was responsible for its publication and acted accordingly.

NEW YORK, April 24.—An alleged San Francisco special says that the killing of DeYoung caused a rarely equalled sensation. Young Kallach had been on a debauch several days, and frequently threatened to fix DeYoung, but no attention was paid to the supposed vapors of the drunken man, as he has frequently boasted in a similar way ever since his father was shot, last August, and neither DeYoung nor his friends were alarmed. The immediate cause is believed to be the recent appearance in San Francisco of a pamphlet, purporting to be a full report of the trial of Kallach for adultery, and containing portraits of Kallach and his victims. It is stated that DeYoung issued it, as he has been hunting up facts in Kallach's career in the east. DeYoung has been growing more and more aggressive and vicious in his attacks on Kallach, and Kallach's friends became correspondingly exasperated and egged on the young man. The workmen openly express their satisfaction.

Mrs. DeYoung, the old mother, is prostrated. The other DeYongs are likely to spill more blood. The feeling is strong against Kallach and his party, and the mayor's life is not considered safe. Kallach is guarded in prison.

When the coroner's wagon, bearing the body of DeYoung, turned from Kearney into Market street, the crowd made a sort of rush that had the appearance of being directed to the wagon.

It might have been the mere natural swerve of the concourse following the wagon on meeting the crowd gathered on Market street, but the police, viewing it as an attempt of violence, used their clubs freely, beating back the crowd and inflicting severe punishment on some of the most foremost. Aside from this incident there has been no sign of violence and no reason for the services of the police, except in keeping back the press. Large throngs still linger around the Chronicle office, and at the main and branch office of the Call and at the morgue, quietly discussing the affair, and waiting with the usual morbid interest to hear any further particulars obtainable.

Further inquiry shows that young Kallach fired five shots at DeYoung, of which only one, the fourth, took effect. Otherwise, the original report of the affair seems to be substantially correct. It is evident that the deed was deliberate. Officer Noyes states that a few minutes after DeYoung entered the office he saw Kallach walking along Kearney street and peer into the window of the Chronicle counting-room. He was evidently on the watch, awaiting the arrival of his victim. About a quarter past nine the coroner's assistants took the body from where it was lying on the floor, awaiting his examination and removed it to the morgue. The crowd in the meantime had increased to about a thousand, blocking up both Kearney and Bush streets. It was composed of all classes, evidently including a great many of sand lot proclivities, and as the body was brought out cheers, howls and ejaculations of exultation and derision arose. The coroner's wagon escorted by a squad of police drove at once to the morgue, followed by the hooting, howling, whistling and yelling mob. The demonstration was confined merely to words, no action of a violent nature occurring. On arriving at the morgue the crowd gathered there for a while, continuing its demonstration, but soon dispersed and the officers retired. The conduct of the mob called forth many expressions of indignation and disgust from the more respectable bystanders, but there was nothing whatever done tending towards any breach of the peace. A great concourse still lingered in the vicinity of the Chronicle office discussing the affair, but an alarm of fire caused the crowd to disperse.

The coroner's autopsy on the body of Chas. DeYoung shows that the fatal shot struck deceased in the right side at the jaw and did not penetrate the brain, but ranged downward and became embedded in the interior of the jugular vein. Another shot had penetrated the outer and inner coat, but had not reached the body. The funeral has been fixed for to-morrow at 1 p. m., from the late residence of deceased.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—The funeral of Charles DeYoung took place this afternoon from the residence of his mother, on Eddy street, between Jones and Leavenworth, under the auspices of Yerba Buena Lodge, I. O. O. F., of which deceased was a member. Several thousand persons gathered in and around the house, many of whom, after the services, availed themselves of the opportunity to take a last look at the features of one who had filled so prominent a place in the annals of local affairs. The Odd Fellows were largely represented, as also the press of the city. After services at the house, the procession formed, the Odd Fellows leading, followed by a long line of carriages containing mourners, friends, employees of the Chronicle and others, and proceeded to Odd Fellows' Cemetery where the last rites were observed.

CARLISLE, ILL., April 24.—A cyclone of wonderful velocity and terrible in its effects passed a half mile north of this city at half past 5 o'clock this evening. The storm gathered in the southwest and took a northeast course. It was preceded by a peculiar sound, and lasted but a few seconds. The clouds assumed the shape of an inverted cone, and came rolling up in a manner that sent a thrill of terror to all who witnessed its approach. Everything was swept before it, trees and hedges were torn to pieces, and the telegraph lines are all down, and no word can be received from the north. A passenger train on the Chicago & Alton at Anderson, four miles north, was met by the cyclone and had to stop. The following houses are reported to have been completely demolished: The residence of M. M. Anderson, barns and granary, the roof of a school house west of this city, a large brick dwelling belonging to J. G. Stryer, the barn and outhouses of Gen. Richard Rowlett, a large barn belonging to William Davenport, the stables at the Fair Grounds. A house is also reported to have been destroyed by lightning. The damage cannot be estimated as yet. It is thought the eastern portion of the county will suffer largely. No life lost as far as heard from.

TUSCULA, ILL., April 25.—This section was visited by another severe storm last night, between 11 and 12 o'clock. The wind blew a perfect gale for a few minutes, and hailstones of immense size fell in large quantities, doing much damage to fruit and pulverizing many windows. This is the third breeze we have had in the last month, and the thing is growing somewhat monotonous.

CLINTON, ILL., April 25.—A most disastrous rain-storm took place last night, overflowing every stream in the county. Ten miles raised during the night about seven feet. Salt Creek, the largest stream in the county, on which many valuable mills are erected, was so high that much damage was done to bridges and milling property. The damage cannot be estimated at this hour.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—The Washington Post, which now represents the anti-Tilden Democrats here, in commenting on the Syracuse Convention says: "It means that Tilden is in effect to go to Cincinnati and participate in the proceedings of the Convention, possessed of a voting power of seventy delegates. As far as those seventy votes will serve to control the nomination, they will be used. If Pennsylvania contributes the fifty-eight delegates, they will be similarly utilized, so also with other States whose delegates are favorable. In short, the Tilden strength at Cincinnati, which will not make up a majority of the Convention, will be amalgamated in the political crucible for whose occupancy those 500 hotel rooms have been engaged, and in its compact shape handled so as to make it controlling in influence."

GALENA, Ill., April 25.—General Grant has arranged to leave Galena on Wednesday morning of this week at 9 o'clock by special train over the Illinois Central and Northwestern Railroads for Chicago, in which place he will remain three or four days on a visit to his son, Col. F. D. Grant. From Chicago he will go to Springfield, agreeable to an invitation extended by the leading men of that city without distinction of party. The General, accompanied by his son, Col. Grant, attended service this forenoon at the First M. E. church. Hon. E. B. Washburn, who is visiting in Galena, will leave Tuesday morning for Chicago.

Deeds of Trust.

We find the following in regard to deeds of trust in an exchange, and as it may be of interest to some of our readers, give it for what it is worth:

Deeds of trust providing for the sale of lands, lots, houses or farms in Illinois by trustee therein named, on non-payment of a debt secured by such deed, are no longer of legal effect in this state, unless made before July 1, 1879. Since then the giving of such power of sale by mortgage or trust deed is forbidden by law, and cannot be exercised with binding effect. The creditor in all such cases is bound to establish in court, by proof, how much is due him. Upon such proof being made the court will then order the property pledged sold, to suit. After sale the debtor has a year to redeem from sale by paying eight per cent. interest with the principal sum, for which the property was struck off at such sale.

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Warner's Safe Remedies quickly give relief and sleep to the suffering, cure Headache and Neuralgia, Prevents Epileptic Fits, and is the best remedy for Nervous Prostration. It is brought on by excessive drinking, over-work, mental shocks and other causes. It relieves the Pains of all Diseases, and is never injurious to the system. The best of all Nervines. Bottles of two sizes; prices, 50c and \$1.00.

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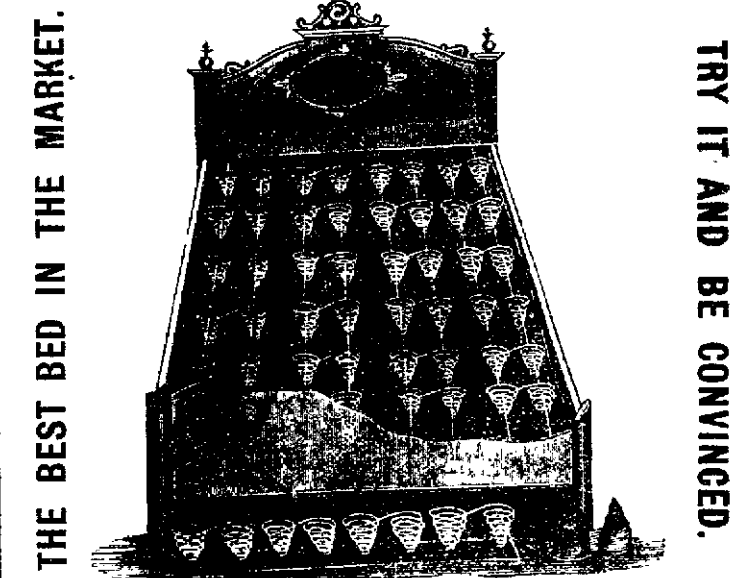
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No frame required, as we set the Springs in the slits of the bed and make them perfectly secure. We adjust them to fit any size bed. Most convenient, cleanly, and durable. Made of the best Spring Steel Wire, finely coiled. They are easily moved, as each slat can be lifted out separately. They are not linked together across the bed. Each side of the bed acts independently, thus preventing any "sagging" to each side. We propose to have them thoroughly tested. Will call at your residence and leave on trial. We guarantee satisfaction or no sale. We would caution all persons against buying any Spring Bed that in any way infringes on ours, as we intend to protect ourselves.

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THE exodus of Canadians to the United States continues unabated. The custom authorities of Montreal are keeping a register of Canadians leaving for the United States from that station, and during three weeks of this month not less than 2,000 persons have left by the Delaware and Hudson and Vermont Central Railroads alone, to settle in the manufacturing districts of the Eastern States. Of these about nineteen twentieths are French Canadians from Montreal and surrounding districts.

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Of all medicines advertised to cure an affection of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, we know of none we can recommend so highly as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Hoarseness, Tickling in the Throat, loss of voice, etc. This medicine does positively cure, and that where everything else has failed. No medicine can show one-half so many positive and permanent cures as have already been effected by this truly wonderful remedy. For Asthma and Bronchitis it is a specific cure, curing the very worst cases in the shortest possible time. We say by all means give it a trial. Trial bottles free. Regular size, \$1. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill.

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We are authorized to sell the date for the Republican Co.

The latest styles in hats, vases, flower just received Co.'s.

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MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 23, 1900.
CITY DEPARTMENT.
ANNOUNCEMENTS.
We are authorized to announce HENRY W. DAVIS, of Long Creek township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.
The latest out—see the 50 different styles in handsomely decorated lawn vases, flower pots and hanging baskets, just received at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.
SODA WATER is on tap.
Go to Armstrong's for pure drugs and medicines.
HUMPTY DUMPTY—Lots of fun Wednesday night.
TRY Andy Hill's "Aetna" cigars, the "boss" of all smokers. dtf
SKILLS Bros' great circus Thursday next. See four-column ad on 4th page.
"Causes of Disease" will be the subject of Dr. Evans' free lecture at the tabernacle to-night.
If you want good bread buy at Milam's bakery. 24-dtf
The Forsyth Republican primary meeting will be held on Monday evening, May 3rd.
HOOD SKIRTS, the latest styles, made to order, on short notice, at Goldburg's, West Wood street. 19-dtf
DECATUR Lodge of Good Templars will elect officers for the ensuing three months at the regular meeting to be held to-night. A full attendance of the membership is urgently requested.
CHEW Zig-zag tobacco, clear Kentucky white filler. dtf
SEE the dazzling display of fashionable wall paper at Abel & Locke's before making selections elsewhere.
THREE rooms for rent in new house opposite high school building. Apply on premises. 26-dtf
THE best double lounge in the market is now on sale at P. B. Provost & Son's furniture store. dtf
OWING to the violent storm the temperance meeting which was to have been held at the tabernacle on Saturday night was postponed.
FACT, Milam's new process bread has no superior. 24-dtf
TAX artist who does the really superior blackboard work for the First M. E. Church Sunday School is Mrs. W. E. Roberts. Her work attracts a good deal of attention, and is much praised.
BUY the McLean Rocking Chair at P. B. Provost & Son's. ap8dtf
JUSTICE PRANKS had one plain drunk before him Sunday at noon, run in Saturday night by Merchant Policeman Wilkinson and Officer Kearney.
ABEL & LOCKE, at this season of the year offer extra inducements to everybody in carpet goods.
STEEL ENGRAVINGS at Stookey & Co.'s, April 23--d&wtf
TRY the Leon Isaac's Steel Pen; every one perfect. Sold only by J. M. Stookey & Co. [Apr 14-d&wtf
THE Odd Fellows of Decatur, accompanied by the Decatur Band and a large company of excursionists, left for Paris this morning via the I. & D. S. route, and about 35 persons took the Midland train for the same town. The excursionists will return to-night.
LINN & SCRUGGS have just received a handsome assortment of new spring and summer silks. d&wtf
FOR BARGAINS in Baby Carriages, go to April 14-d&wtf J. M. Stookey & Co.'s.
CALL at Niedermyer's, on the Mound, for all kinds of family groceries.
OUR spring stock was never excelled either in quantity, quality or price, and we invite your patronage on the basis of the best goods for the least money. Come and see us if you want your shoes to fit. 27-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.
I AM now prepared to teach both instrumental and vocal music, at my rooms at the residence of Daniel Duetmann, on West Main street. For terms, etc., apply at the above-named residence. Best of reference given. Mrs. M. GAMBLE. April 24--d&wtf
DON'T fail to leave orders on the slate at Armstrong's drug store for B. F. Taylor's hack.
V. H. PARKER has at his agricultural rooms a full line of Buggies, such as phaetons, side-bar and elliptic spring, open and top buggies, spring wagons, etc., all A No. 1. No auction shoddy work, but first-class, and warranted so. Call and see them before you buy. March 19--d&wtf
EARLY Breakfast cooking stove given in exchange for anything that it takes for housekeeping at Ashby & Andrews. 7-dtf
DAILY papers, from Chicago, St. Louis, Denver and Decatur, are on file at John S. Campbell's sample rooms, on the corner opposite the Union depot. Lunch served every day at 10 o'clock. 12-dtf
Our Loan
Comprise all the recent productions, and we can show as complete a line and at less price than any house in the city. 26-d&wtf CHEAP STORE.
Military Opening.
Opening of summer millinery at No. 18 Merchant street, up stairs, on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 4 and 5.
MISS M. FALCONER.
April 24-dtf
Lost.
Between West Main street and the high school, on Tuesday, a cluster garnet ring, with some engraved on inside. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to this office. ap8dtf
My wife's bread is always fresh and pure and good. 14-dtf

WEDON COLTRIN presided at the regular meeting of the Athenians Saturday evening at the high school building.—Programme—"Parody on the Old Oaken Bucket," by Silas Lowry. "Parody on Excelsior," by I. Will Carter. Song delightfully rendered by Miss Meta Betteiger. After recess Cyrus F. Randolph was elected chairman pro tem. The debate on, "Resolved, That General Ulysses S. Grant should be the next President," was forcibly debated upon the affirmative by Willson M. Boring; negative, Weldon Coltrin. It was then thrown open to the house. The decision was in favor of the affirmative. The *Ventilator* was omitted, the assistant editor having mislaid manuscript.
The first of a series of religious meetings to be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., took place in the ladies' waiting room at the central depot on Sunday evening, between 5 and 6 o'clock. There were present about 70 ladies and gentlemen. The services were conducted by Yarmaster W. H. Fanning, of the W., St. L. & P. road, and Rev. N. S. Haynes offered prayer. Seven railroad men gave their religious experience, making the occasion one of interest and profit. The meetings will be held in the waiting room every Sunday afternoon, and will be conducted exclusively by railroad men. Mr. Adams, of the Midland, will conduct next Sunday's services.
One day last week while hitching up his team Captain Job Wilkinson had the misfortune to break one of his arms. He sends us word that he expects to be in good shape to be on hand at the county convention May 6th, when he will lift up his voice for the right.
Tux ladies of the First M. E. Church wish us to say that no pains or trouble will be spared to make their strawberry festival to-morrow night a social success. The berries and cream will be excellent, and a hearty social welcome will be given to young and old.
Frank Frorer's Girl.
The above gentleman, it will be observed, has "F" twice for his initials, but neither stands for *failure*. Evidently that word has no place in his vocabulary.—Like our illustrious Grant, he proposes to fight out the coal shaft business on the line that he has laid down if it takes all summer. Mr. Frorer came to Decatur for a purpose, and that purpose was and is a coal shaft; but the way he does it is what particularly excites our admiration and applause. When the grim fact stared him in the face on last Tuesday, that all he had done since last June was an *entire loss*, his 120 feet of crib a total wreck, thousands of dollars hopelessly sunk in the treacherous hole,—when on all sides was uttered and reiterated the conclusion, "That settles the coal shaft question in Decatur for this generation!" Mr. Frorer said nothing, not a word of regret, no complaint, made no parade of his loss, no blowing of trumpets as to what he had done or would do. Simply in a matter of course, matter of fact, quiet, grim, business-like way, he next day commenced work again, just 50 feet east of where he broke ground last June, and there we found to-day the sinking of the coal shaft quietly but surely proceeding, as if nothing particularly unusual had occurred.—Mr. Frorer may be assured that the citizens of Decatur will ever admire and appreciate his indomitable pluck, and will rejoice with him when he strikes a paying vein of coal. Success to him.
Accidentally Shot.
On Saturday afternoon while playing with a small revolver in the barn back of the family residence on West William street, Harry Hamsher, the elder son of B. K. Hamsher, accidentally shot his brother Frank in the left breast, the ball entering about opposite the shoulder, two inches above the heart and ranging downward, striking no bones. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth was hastily summoned and probed three-quarters of an inch for the ball but failed to find it. The wound is not serious. The surgeon hopes to locate the ball in a few days and remove it. Frank is in good spirits and goes about just as if nothing unusual had happened.
The Juveniles Not Coming.
Manager Haines is in receipt of the following message, which explains itself:
NASHVILLE, TENN., April 23.
Dear Sir: Owing to Sells Bros' Circus opposition on our route I am compelled to postpone our date for Decatur for a few days. Will give you the positive date in season.
C. E. BLANCHARD.
Ag't Haverly's Juvenile Pinafore Co.
The juveniles were booked to play "Pinafore" April 29th, but as the circus will be here on the same day the little folks will come later. Now the children ought to get their nicks and dimes to glow in a hurry and see the three funny clowns in Humpty Dumpty on Wednesday night.
Lecture To-Night.
Dr. Evans lectures at the tabernacle this evening at eight o'clock. Subject, "Causes of Disease." Come one and all, and hear a great many important, useful and new ideas upon the subject. Admission free. dtf
Wanted!
All kinds of old furniture and household goods, in exchange or for cash. Will pay more than any other house in the city. New furniture, glass and queensware at prices to defy competition. We have no rents to pay, and can give our customers the benefit of the same. Give me a call before either selling or buying elsewhere.
HOUSTON.
East side City Park, old Revere House. April 16-dtf
Misses' and Children's Suits, The best line of any retail house in Illinois, at the 19-d&wtf CHEAP STORE.
MONEY TO LOAN at 5 per cent. on farms Notes payable at Decatur. Oct. 31--d&wtf J. M. CLOKEY.

up by the wind. The Willow Ford bridge, across South Fork, is literally torn to atoms, and some of the heavy timbers have been found a mile away. Live stock of every description can be found in all directions. One pitiful sight seen by your correspondent was a rail driven about 4 feet into the ground with a 300-pound hog sticking on the top end. The damage done to houses, barns, fences, wheat fields, timber and stock, will reach \$50,000. Some of the fairest portions of farming land in the country are laid in desolation and ruin, and many families are left destitute of clothing, homes, and food. Great trees are torn up by the roots and carried rods away. Horses, cattle, sheep and hogs are lying around, some of them being thrown against the ground so violently as to almost bury them. One horse was found standing on its head in a barn; others are run through with rails; all varieties of poultry are totally stripped of their feathers, the whole making a most pitiful and distressing sight. Miles of fencing are thrown down and carried away. Many people escaped almost miraculously. Some sought refuge in caves and cellars, and escaped without injury. One family sought refuge in a log barn, which was entirely destroyed, but not one was injured. Some of the houses are so completely destroyed as to make it impossible to tell where they once stood.
Much damage to property is reported near Clarksdale, Edinburg, Sheffield, Jerseyville, Carrollton, Carlinville, Nilwood, Virginia, and throughout the northwest.
At Taylorville the people are organizing for the relief of the sufferers, and have raised a considerable amount of cash.
PERSONAL POINTS.
W. A. Morrison, of Leadville, Colorado, is at the St. Nicholas.
A. M. Scott and wife, of Terre Haute, are visiting Mrs. E. J. Moeller.
Charles Murphy, one of the Kereobian carriers is off duty for the present, owing to an injury received on the play ground at the high school building some days ago. He is compelled to remain in his room.
Frederic B. Caldwell, of the I. & St. L. R. R., was in the city yesterday. He visited Marshallfield, Mo., on Thursday, and saw the terrible havoc done by the cyclone which visited that fated town on the evening of the 18th inst. He came to Saint Louis in company with Prof. Tice, who told him there would be another fearful cyclone on or before the 28th, and he thought it would visit some point in Illinois. And sure enough, when Mr. Caldwell arrived at Taylorville, on his way home Saturday night, he heard the particulars of the ravages of the storm which visited that neighborhood a short time previously. The account of the Taylorville cyclone will be found in another column.
Nick Roberts.
The above name is a charm to the little folks, and a great source of enjoyment to older people, as it tells plainly that we are to have Humpty Dumpty played for us as no other company can render it. Mr. Nick Roberts, whose name is a household word with the rising generation, will be here on Wednesday, April 28, with his great troupe of merry-makers, pantomimists, the inimitable Spanish students, three great clowns and double specialty company, also a silver band, and opera orchestra. The troupe has played in all of the principal cities of the Union to crowded houses and delighted millions of amusement seekers. The claim of his entertainment is that it leaves no pernicious results. The humor is rollicking without immoral tendency, and the delineation of the clowns keeps the audience in a roar. The *St. Louis Republican* says: "Nick Roberts' troupe is unquestionably the best that has ever visited us. He performs all he advertises, and gives an entertainment that has never been equalled in pantomime line." Reserved seats now on sale at Curtis & Ewing's without extra charge. Secure seats early and avoid a rush.
Driving Park Meeting To-Night.
All parties interested in the matter of locating a pleasure driving park near this city, are urged to attend the second preliminary business meeting of citizens to be held at the office of Rogers & Montgomery, in Powers' Block, to-night, when a permanent organization will be effected by the election of officers. The proposed park will embrace a considerable number of acres, which will be enclosed, beautified and made as attractive and useful as possible. This is a move in the right direction, one that has been frequently spoken of within the past few years, but for some cause never took shape. Many of our citizens own fleet-footed horses and fine equipages, and the park boom is certain to be kept booming until the park is an established fact—one of the attractive features of the city and a pleasure to its citizens.
Concerts.
comprise one of our specialties, and we devote special attention to the wants of our patrons in this department. We carry only first-class goods; we buy no seconds, remnants or leavings. Every day and always fresh goods, and always at the lowest possible prices, is our rule and practice. CHEAP STORE. 25-d&wtf
From Eminent Dr. C. C. Clark, Oswego, New York.
I have made sufficient experiment of Golden's Liebig's Liquid Extract of Beef and Tonic Invigorator, to enable me to say it is by far the best of all the preparations of the kind (FOOD AND TONIC) that I have ever used. To the sufferer from chronic diseases, or the convalescent, it is invaluable, being both nourishing and strengthening. Sold by druggists. April 19d--d&wtf

The Old Story.
On Sunday night, about one mile west of Niantic, an old English shoemaker named Isaac Ainsworth, who had been in the employ of John Heneberry at Niantic for a number of years, was run over by a west-bound freight train on the Wash, St. Louis & Pacific railway, horribly mangled and killed. Ainsworth had been to Illiopolis and was doubtless on his way home when he became tired, sat down on the track and fell asleep. A bottle of whisky was found in one of his pockets which told the story, convincing evidence that the unfortunate man had been drinking. The body was brought to Niantic and this forenoon an inquest was held, the jury bringing in a verdict of accidental death. Justice Kizer conducted the inquest.
DIED.
The following death notice we clip from the Chicago Times:
In Chicago, at her home, No. 234 South La Salle street, April 13, Mrs. E. H. Mills, aged 72 years, 2 months and 10 days. Funeral Thursday, April 15, at 10 o'clock a. m., from late residence.
The deceased resided in this city with her husband and family a number of years ago, and removed to Chicago where she has since resided. She has many acquaintances and friends in Decatur, who will be pained to learn of her demise. Mr. Mills was once engaged in the restaurant business in open block, and went from here to Pana, where he had charge of a large hotel. From there he went to Chicago where he is connected with one of the popular hotels of that place. Sadie has been one of the leading characters in Haverly's Juvenile Pinafore troupe, but was called home on account of the illness of her mother.
Good Evidence.
When such men as the Rev. Dr. Rankin, Rev. Dr. Harvey, Prof. Green, Dr. Bartine, Col. John K. McChesney, E. W. Neff, and a host of others equally trustworthy, certify over their own signatures to the marvelous efficacy of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, in the diseases for which it is recommended, it is time to dismiss doubts on the subject. April 15--d&wtf
Hosiery! Hosiery!
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